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Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 85934.000008 In re Application of Knut Hofmann et al Application Number 09/937,083 September 21, 2001 For SHAPED SEAL FOR SEALING A POWER-OPERATED CLOSING DEVICE **Group Art Unit** Examiner This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110.00 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$ A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27: is enclosed. has already been filed in this application. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account

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